the receipt, accounting, and expenditure of public money and materials, and the implementation of improved management techniques and procedures.

(d) The commanding officer and his subordinates shall exercise leadership through personal example, moral responsibility, and judicious attention to the welfare of persons under their control or supervision. Such leadership shall be exercised in order to achieve a positive, dominant influence on the performance of persons in the Department of the Navy.

§700.703 [Reserved]

§700.704 Organization of commands.

All commands and other activities of the Department of the Navy shall be organized and administered in accordance with law, the Navy Regulations, and the orders of competent authority, and all orders and instructions of the commanding officer shall be in accordance therewith.

§§ 700.705-700.708 [Reserved]

§ 700.709 Unauthorized persons on board.

The commanding officer shall satisfy himself that there is no unauthorized person on board before proceeding to sea or commencing a flight.

§700.710 Control of passengers.

(a) Control of passage in and protracted visits to aircraft and ships of the Navy by all persons, within or without the Department of the Navy, shall be exercised by the Chief of Naval Operations.

(b) Nothing in this article shall be interpreted as prohibiting the senior officer present from authorizing the passage in ships and aircraft of the Navy by such persons as he judges necessary in the public interest or in the interest of humanity. The senior officer present shall report the circumstances to the Chief of Naval Operations when he gives such authorization.

§ 700.711 Authority over passengers.

Except as otherwise provided in these regulations or in orders from competent authority, all passengers in a

ship or aircraft of the naval service are subject to the authority of the commanding officer and shall conform to the internal regulations and routine of the ship or aircraft. The commanding officer of such ship or aircraft shall take no disciplinary action against a passenger not in the naval service, other than that authorized by law; but he may, when he deems such action to be necessary for the safety of the ship or aircraft or of any persons embarked, subject a passenger not in the naval service to such restraint as the circumstances require until such time as delivery to the proper authorities is possible. A report of the matter shall be made to an appropriate superior of the passenger.

§ 700.712 [Reserved]

§ 700.713 Person found under incriminating circumstances.

- (a) The commanding officer shall keep under restraint or surveillance, as necessary, any person not in the armed services of the United States who is found under incriminating or irregular circumstances within the command, and shall immediately initiate an investigation.
- (b) Should an investigation indicate that such person is not a fugitive from justice or has not committed or attempted to commit an offense, he shall be released at the earliest opportunity, except:
- (1) If not a citizen of the United States, and the place of release is under the jurisdiction of the United States, the nearest federal immigration authorities shall be notified as to the time and place of release sufficiently in advance to permit them to take such steps as they deem appropriate.
- (2) Such persons shall not be released in territory not under the jurisdiction of the United States without first obtaining the consent of the proper foreign authorities, except where the investigation shows that he entered the command from territory of the foreign state, or that he is a citizen or subject of that state.

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- (c) If the investigation indicates that such person has committed or attempted to commit an offense punishable under the authority of the commanding officer, the latter shall take such action as he deems necessary.
- (d) If the investigation indicates that such a person is a fugitive from justice, or has committed or attempted to commit an offense which requires actions beyond the authority of the commanding officer, he shall, at the first opportunity, deliver such person, with full descriptive data, fingerprints, and a statement of the circumstances to the proper civil authorities.
- (e) A report shall be made promptly to the Secretary of the Navy, in all cases under paragraph 4 of this article, and in other cases where appropriate.

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§ 700.714 Rules for visits.

- (a) Commanding officers are responsible for the control of visitors to their commands and shall comply with the relevant provisions of the Department of the Navy Security Manual for Classified Information and other pertinent directives
- (b) Commanding officers shall take such measures and impose restrictions on visitors as necessary to safeguard the classified material under their jurisdiction. Arrangements for general visiting shall always be based on the assumption that foreign agents will be among the visitors.
- (c) Commanding officers and others officially concerned shall exercise reasonable care to safeguard the persons and property of visitors to naval activities as well as taking those necessary precautions to safeguard the persons and property within his command.

§ 700.715 Dealers, tradesmen, and agents.

- (a) In general, dealers or tradesmen or their agents shall not be admitted within a command, except as authorized by the commanding officer:
 - (1) To conduct public business.
- (2) To transact specific private business with individuals at the request of the latter.
- (3) To furnish services and supplies which are necessary and are not other-

wise, or are insufficiently, available to the personnel of the command.

(b) Personal commercial solicitation and the conduct of commercial transactions are governed by policies of Department of Defense.

§ 700.716 Marriages on board.

The commanding officer shall not perform a marriage ceremony on board his ship or aircraft. He shall not permit a marriage ceremony to be performed on board when the ship or aircraft is outside the territory of the United States, except:

- (a) In accordance with local laws and the laws of the state, territory, or district in which the parties are domiciled, and
- (b) In the presence of a diplomatic or consular official of the United States, who has consented to issue the certificates and make the returns required by the consular regulations.

§ 700.717 Postal matters.

Commanding officers shall ensure that mail and postal funds are administered in accordance with instructions issued by the Postmaster General and approved for the naval service by the Chief of Naval Operations, and instructions issued by the Chief of Naval Operations or the Chief of Naval Personnel or the Commandant of the Marine Corps as appropriate; and that postal clerks or other persons authorized to handle mail perform their duties strictly in accordance with those instructions.

§§ 700.718-700.719 [Reserved]

§ 700.720 Deaths.

The commanding officer, in the event of death of any person within his command, shall ensure that the cause of death and the circumstances under which death occurred are established, and the appropriate casualty report is submitted.

§ 700.721 The American National Red Cross.

(a) Pursuant to the request of the Secretary of the Navy and subject to such instructions as he may issue, the